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Poetry.

STAND LIKE THE ANVIL.

The following lines by Bishop Doane, suggested by the immortal words of Ignatius' message to Polycarp, are as remarkable for their force and terseness as for the noble spirit of endurance which breathes in every line.

"Stand like the anvil," when the stroke
Of stalwart man falls fierce and fast;
Storms but more deeply root the oak
Whose brawny arms embrace the blast.

"Stand like the anvil," when the sparks
Fly far and wide a fiery shower;
Virtue and truth must still be marks
Where malice raves in want of power.

"Stand like the anvil,', when the bar
Lies red and glowing on its breast;
Duty shall be life's leading star,
And conscious innocence its rest.

"Stand like the anvil," noise and heat
Are born of earth and die with time;
The soul, like God, its source and heat,
Is solemn, still, serene, sublime.

The Good Samaritan.

A certain man went down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell among thieves, who stripped him of his raimnent; and wounded him and departed, leaving him half dead.

And by chance there came down a certafn priest that way; and when he saw him, he passed by on the other side.

And likewise a Levite, when he was at the place, came and looked on him, and passed by on the other side.

But a certain Samaritan as he journeyed, came where he was; and when he saw him, he had compassion on him.

And went to him, and bound up his wounds, pouring in oil and wine, and set him on his own beast, and brought him to an inn. and took care of him.

And on the morrow when he departed, he took out two pence and gave them to the host, and said unto him, Take care of him; and whatsoever thou spendest more, when I come again, I will repay you.

How many weary pilgrims lie
And watching wait, and waiting sigh,
For steps that never wander nigh,
But pass upon the other side;
For steps that trampled heart and brain
And made their lives a lingering pain,
And pass and never come again—
Lost footsteps on the other side.

How many walk with bleeding feet,
Seeking the loved and lost to meet,
While the dear visions flit and fleet
And vanish on the other side;
While life's fresh love and youthful trust
Those Eden-blooms in earthly dust,
Lie bruis'd and brok'n stain'd and crushed
Neath footsteps on the other side.

And so we watch, and watching sigh,
While youth and truth and hope go by,
While life and love and gladness die
With footsteps on the other side;
And so we wait, with ear and eye,
For one dear echo floating by—
A grief, a woe, a wandering sigh—
A footstep on the other side.

Oh, heavy hearts, that ache and break!
Oh heavy eyes, that droop and sleep!
Why must ye ever wake and weep
At footsteps on the other side?
Why must we ever lie forlorn,
And ache and wake and weep so long
Because one footstep has gone wrong
And passed by on the other side.

Miscellaneous.

Dressing Girls—Cruelty of the Prevalent Customs.

The customary practice of dressing our girls, of which MRS. JENNIE T. HAZEN has written frequently in the columns of the *Western Rural*, with great seriousness as well as enthusiastic interest, is taken up by the sharp pen of Mr. Upton, (Perigrine Pickle), in the Chicago *Tribune* in a forcible manner, which the importance of the subject emphatically demands. Now at the opening of this severe winter weather, let parents heed these admonitions and warnings. Says the writer not a whit too sharply:

In these cold, blowy, snowy days, I am pained to see the efforts of foolish parents to freeze their little girls. It is an outrage. Girls should be dressed just as comfortably as boys. On the contrary, the poor little shivering things are sent out into the streets, with their heads comfortably protected, thick shawls around their shoulders which comparatively need no protection, their skirts standing out at an angle of forty-five degrees, and their poor little drumstick legs as unprotected from the blasts as the legs of a turkey hanging in a meet stall. And thus we send these little girls to school, with their big heads to be crammed full of learning, at the expense of their legs, which, at a tender age, are of more importance than their heads.

As a general rule, parents should devote their entire attention to their little girls legs and let their heads alone. The heads will take care of themselves in due time. The legs are helpless and need looking after. By taking care of the heads little girls acquire a knowledge, such as it is, of music, drawing, all the modern languages, botany, the use of the globe, embroidery, poetry, and in general a little of nothing, and by neglecting at the same time their legs, they acquire colds, coughs, headache, weak backs, pipe-stem legs, hollow chests, neuralgias and other complaints, which either send them to Heaven before they ought to go, to be made into premature angels, or if they live to grow up, make them drag through a miserable, unhappy and unhealthy life.

And all this time you take your great, strapping, tough hulks of boys, who are never cold and are twice as strong and hardy as your girls, and wrap them up, and fit them out in thick woolen trousers and drawers, and heavy top boots. The result is they grow up to be tough, strong men, and these little wretched, artificial feminine creatures don't grow up at all, or if they do, they develop into a sort of human curiosity, far better for preservation in a case of butterflies than for contact with the sharp edges of the world.

If I had absolute power granted me I would call together every mother in this city and I would whisper in their ears: "Take those girls of yours and clothe them properly. You have no business to embitter their future lives with the misery of poor health, and some of you I notice are murdering your children. It is therefore ordered that within twenty-four hours, every one of these blessed girls shall have nice, warm woolen garments, her legs protected thoroughly, and her feet shod with thick comfortable shoes, through which dampness will not penetrate." And after the twenty-four hours, if I found a little girl running about in any other condition, by the Eternal, I would hang the mother for murder or malicious intent to kill.

That is what I would do if I had absolute power.

The Devil's Pulpit.

At the foot of a hill in the Black Forest of Germany, called Mercuriusburg, at the spot where the old road turns which led from Baben to Gernsbach, there may be seen toweriug above the dark fir-trees a rock, whoes capricious from resmbles a pulpit. This rock is called "The Devil's Pulpit," and the following legend is attached to it:

At the period when the earliest disciples of the apostles came to preach the gospel in the Black Forest, the devil became extremely uneasy on account of recruiting souls for his infernal dominions. He left the eternal flames which burn in the bowels of the earth, and hastened to Baden by the subterranean path which accompanied the hot springs that discharge themselvs at the foot of the new chateau, at the place which still goes by the name of "Hell."

At first, the devil occupied himself in reconnoitering the country round to find a situation suitable to his projects. In casting his blazing eyes over the valley, he fixed them on the rock which is conspicuous at the foot of Mercuriusburg, and in front of which smiling plains form a vast amphitheatre. He determined to establish himself there, because from there he had a good view of the country and open space before him, on which he could make himself heard even to a great distance. He then dispatched in all directions the demons whom he had brought in his suite, with orders to invite and assemble the inhabitants of the valley.

Very soon came from all parts men and women, old people and children, rich and poor, Pagans and new converts. He ranged them on the natural gradations of ground which surrounded the pulpit, and they were all impatient to hear the new preacher.

When Satan saw that he had gained a large auditory, he rose, bowed gracefully and benevolently to the assembly, and commenced his discourse in a voice which he compelled himself to render soft and pleasing. In an harangue full of wily sophisms, delivered with the most brilliant eloquence, the prince of the infernal regions developed his wicked doctrins. He painted in the most seductive colors worldly pleasures, gross feelings, material interests. He glorified every one, described the grandeur of pride, the satisfaction of revenge, the benefits of egotism. He dwelt on the pleasures of good eating, the agreeable repose of indolence, the veluptuous delights of luxury. He affirmed that death was the end of all, that the immortality of the soul was a fable invented by the priests to mislead public credulity, and that mankind, having neither to fear any future punishment nor to hope for any future reward for good actions, should only be guided in this world by their pleasures and their interest.

As Satan continued to speak, his eyes shot glances like flames, his voice became sonorous, and his words penetrated his hearers minds, awaking in them all the worst passions. Intoxicated by his eloquence, dazzled by the enchanting pictures he presented to them, seduced by his fallacious promises, they rose in a mass to hail the new religion which took for its symbols pleasure and selfishness. The new Christians abjured their faith, and the Pagans vowed never to accept the severe principles of the gospel.

The Devil was delighted at the triumph of his oratory, and was contemplating with malicious joy the unfortunate inhabitants of the valley, whoes souls would therefore belong to him, when on a sudden a brilliant light appeared in the sky, and sounds of delicious harmony were heard. All turned and beheld with stupefaction on the adjacent mountain a resplendent apparition.

It was an angel, robed in silver gauze, with white wings, and his head crowned with a magnificent glory, who had placed himself opposite to the Devil's pulpit, and who made the strings of a golden harp vibrate beautifully. The angel spoke in his turn, and in tones which gained every heart, he recommended the practice of virtue; he lauded all that was noble and grand; he exhorted the people to abstain from intemperance, to hate falsehood, and to repress the lusts of the flesh. He taught the pardon of injuries, the exercise of charity and kindness to one's neighbors. He exhorted his auditors to renounce the pleasures of mere materialism, and to carry out the austere duties of conscience; he threatened disbelievers with the torments of hell, and promised to the faithful the inconceivable joys of paradise, where the soul, freed from its terrestrial envelope, is admitted to conteanplate to all eternity, the divine majesty in its essence and in its works.

The angel's discourse was so full of grace and reason, it responded so well to the good feelings that were slumbering at the bottom of these simple hearts, that they soon discerned truth from error. They repudiated the pernicious counsels of the Devil, and, attracted by an invincible power, crowded around the angel, protesting with enthusiasm, their belief in a religion founded upon duty and devotion.

When his Satanic majesty saw himself abandoned by those whom he believed he had secured for his infernal dominions, his fury vented itself in imprecations and blasphemies. But the loudness of his angry tones coald not drown the sweet voice of the angel; and in a very short time the crowd, returning to a sense of right, cast themselves on their knees and sang a hymn in praise of the Lord, to which the angel played an accompaniment upon his golden harp.

The rage of the Devil thereupon knew no bounds; with the formidable claws attached to his hands he snatchee up everything around, the trees, the socks, and flung them far down into the valley. With his cloven foot he rtruck the earth, which opened with a frightful noise, and he precipitated himself through the gulf thus formed, into the midst of the flames of the infernal regions.

The rock from the summit of which the eloquence of the angel triumphed over that of the Devil, is called to this day, "The Angel's Seat," and not far from "The Devil's Pulpit," is shown to the credulous tourist the mark which the feot of Lucifer left upon the solid stone.

Vesuvius.

From The Saturday Review.

An eruption of Vesuvius is seen to a very much greater advantage by night than day; but at night it is very difficult to induce the guides to ascend the higher cone, and though the chief phenominon may be thoroughly seen by the side of the lava streams as they descend the side, the sight of these rather stimulates the curiosity than satisfies it, and he is a fortunate explorer who can manage to place himself at the very summit, either during the night itself, or when the evening is sufficiently advanced to allow the glare of the volcano to be seen in all its glory. The two objects may be attained in two seperate ascents, but for convenience of description we may imagine them as a combiued one. We are traveling then through the vineyards early on a bright January evening; the moon is clear, but a tremendous wind from the east has set in, and in front, as we mount, the volumes of smoke are rolling away towards the sea. The appearance which the mountain presents is this: Two gigantic arms of fire so meet rise out of the lava bed infront of us, a mile or two higher up, meet in the air and disapear under a canopy of red tossing smoke. They are the two principal streams of lava which are making their way down the face of the central cone right toward us, as we ascend; but they meet when they reach the half-way plateau which we mentioned before, and separate again into two branches, the size and lenght of which varies from day to day. Seen from below these two great fiery arms light up the night. On one side, the full moon is silvering the bay of Naples, and on the other, the wind is hurrying the clouds over two glowing currents, which light up and redden them with a luried fierceness as they pass. We move on, climbing over stones, and bear off to the left across fields of cold lava. Here it lies, black and dead, the fruits of old eruptions; mile after mile one may follow it through plains and seas of ugly blackness, rolled into rounded masses, tossed up in crumbling peaks, here and there twisted and curled into curious other rope-like coils. A little further on, and higher up, and the surface is gently warm. Jets of hot air issue from holes in the mass, with sometimes puffs of steam; the old lava is not quite dead, after all. We penetrate further, and now have nearly reached the plateau, when the current forks the second time; we now turn to the right, and scramble over some more hot lava beds and at last we climb some stones which partly hid the view, and find we are standing in front of a river three miles long of liquid fire.

The heat is tremendous. To stand near a stream of lava, and to look at it are very different things. One cannot even approach it without being fairly scorched. The stream itself is bordered by ridges of stones, parallel to one another, like the moraines of a glacier; happy he who passes them without stumbling. As one mounts the side, the stones fall away from their places red hot; the stick which one pushes into the crevices comes out charred, or even bursts into a flame; one falls forward and rises with one's gloves scorched. Close by the river of lava itself, it is impossible to remain except where it is nearly dying out at the lower extremity. A hasty glance into the torrent is all that, without the courage of a Cranner, one can fairly allow oneself. Patience, however, will now and then discover some post of vantage, from which at a little distance, the fiery flood can be surveyed in safety, and even with moderate comfort. It is a small stream, seldom more and generally less, than two or three yards breadth. At the spot where we are standing, where about two thirds of its downward course is completed, it is moving at the rate of about a mile an hour. Lower down this will gradually become slower, the scoriæ on its surface will spread and grow more black, and at last it will cease to flow as a vicious stream and will over itself, so to speak, in a series of miniature cascades, which finally cool down into what one might fancy a staircase of lava. From the whole of this, while we are looking, vast clouds of vapor are continually rolling off, vivid beyond description, and from time to time the thunder of the volcano is heard from above, as it hurls up stones and ashes from the apex. Sights and sounds alike are full, not indeed of terror, for there is no danger in the case, but of real grandear majesty. And when the eye is tired with the view, on such a night as we are describing, it may turn away to the quiet bay, the quiet villages in their midnight sleep, and thirty miles off the Appenines, with their snowy tops white and clear under the moon. Yet the best sight is further on. We leave the lava stream, bear away to the left through the valley which separates the two peaks, thus avoiding the fine ashes which blow annoyingly into the eyes at every step, and securing an easier ascent, and after a two hours' climb are at the very top. The eruption has filled the crater, and we may walk safely over the place where two months ago the great gulf yawned. And now we see the virgin lava issuing forth, still brighter and hotter than below, and flowing doubly fast in its channel. We are close to the very centre of the volcano itself. A small round hill of ashes two or three hundred yards in diameter, crowns the mountain; from this there rise enormous volumes of steam, now regularly now in mighty discharges which shake the ground where we stand, and close beside it spreads another volume as black as smoke. This last is the same steam mixed with ashes, and in its dark back-ground, every few moments, there dart up, with a noise like that of artillery, bright red fountains of stones and ashes, tossed up three hundred feet into the air, and falling back into the bosom of the mountain or on the sides of the conical hill from which they rise. Nothing can surpass the grandeur of this majestic column. From the fierce glow of the lava as it rushes down before us, and the white gushes of steam, the fury of which shakes the mountain and thunders away to Naples, the eye turns with even greater awe to the towering black volume beside them, in which the fiery rain of einders seems embedded. At times a sulphorous cloud almost intolerable for the moment, beats down upon us with a gust of wind, and then again, annother friendly gust carries it away. There is even here, as below, no peronal danger, unless indeed, a new lava stream should suddenly open under our feet. But the excitement of the scene is such as needs no personal considerations to render it as intense as human nature can wish.

FROM MONTANA.

HELENA, THE METROPOLIS OF THE TERRIT'RY

A Brisk Business Season—Quartz Mining—The "Settling" Day Hotels, Agricultural Prospects.

Correspondence of The Detroit Free Press.

Before attempting to give any of the numerous readers of THE FREE PRESS an idea of matters in Montana, permit me to preface my letter with a brief sketch of the mestopolis of the Territory.

Helena is situnted on the edge of Prickly Pear Valley, one of the richest tracts of farming laud in the Territory, and excelled by none for either agricultural or grazing purposes. The city lies between "Dry" and "Last Chance," in close proximity to many other well paying though less celebrated gulches, among which are "Oro Fino," "Tuckers," "Big Indian," "Holmes," "Nelson," "Grizzly," and others, at the foot of the main range of the Rocky Mountains, one hundred and twenty-five miles south of Fort Benton, the head of steamboat navigation on the Missouri River, and about the same distance northwest of Virginia City, the present capital. The city was laid out, and the first store opened but four years ago this month, yet now, though laboring under many disadvantages, contains a population of from seven to eight thousand. As an evidence of the class of people settled here, and to me it is of the most telling character, there are three daily newspapers issued here, two morning *Gazzette* (Dem) and *Post* (Rep.), and *Herald* (Rep.), an evening paper, all doing well, receiving that support that every intelligent business community should give their home journals. The editors of these papers are gentlemen of ability, and are aided by none but able and tallented assistants. The new Court House, build the past year, is situated upon a hill overlooking the city, and is an ornament to the place. It is of stone, two stories high and built in a most sudstantial manner. The Catholic and Methodist congregations have each very good churches. The Episcopalians are without a church, and at present their minister is absent but is soon to return; in the spring they are to build a fine new church.

The schools of Helena compare favorably with those of the States, and afford all the facilities for young men desiring either a collegiate or commercial education, while the advantages for young ladies are equal to those anywhere to be found.

Business is unusually brisk for this season of the year, owing to the mildness of the season, which has permitted placer mining to be continued latter than usual. Quartz mining, not being interupted, goes on as usual, all the year, day and night, giving constant employment to hundreds of men, paying highly renumerative wages to employes, as well as large profits on investments to the owners of good leads. Sunday is not observed as strictly as in the States, nor is it totally disregarded, the business being carried on chiefly to accommodate the miners, who flock to town ou that day from the neighboring camps. Monday is the great day here for the settlement of bills of all kinds. From morning till night the streets are perfectly alive with men rushing hither and thither collecting bills, the city presenting all day long the appearance of a young Wall Street.

The "Hurdy Gurdy," "Free and Easy," as well as the public gambling hells, still exist, where liquid damnation is dealt out at "Two bits in dust,' but their star is fast waning. Two fine billiard rooms lighted with gas (the only rooms thus illuminated in the Territory) afford amusement for the *cue*-rious.

Hotels and restaurants are plenty, affording excellent tables, but all short of good comfortable rooms. The "International," "St. Louis," and "Walla Walla" are the best hotels in town, aad no one leaves either to complain. Goods of every kind are about as cheap as in the States, save the difference between gold and paper, which is twenty per cent. Produce of all kinds brings readily good prices. There is plenty raised in the Territory for home consumption and some for shipment further west. In a few years Montana will be one of the best grain growing States in the Union. No part of the country excels it for grazing purposes, and for its vast gold fields, whose treasures await but a strong arm and willing heart to bring them forth, it to day presents to the world more and greater facilities to acquire a competency in a shorter time with less labor than any other locality I know of.

I shall visit the quartz mines and mills here in a few days and in my next will describe them. For many favors shown, permit me to return my thanks to the very gentlemanly corps editor of the *Gazette* and *Post*, as well as the printers' friend, the celebrated "Kiyus."

CLAUDE CLARE

The Probable Destruction of The Salt Mines of Wyeliczka.

The Salt Mines of Wieliczka are in great danger of being ruined by inundation. They are situated two miles from Cracow, and were dicovered in the year 1256, by a Shepherd, after whom they were named. A village is built over the mines, and another is in the mines, in which there are streets and squares, and about 1000 inhabitants. Two principal shafts lead to the subterranean town; the Francis shaft, with circular srairs of 470ft. which was constructed under Augustus III, King of Poland. The other principal shaft is called Danielowicz, and is the one generally used by persons visiting the mines. This is 200 feet deep. There are several new shafts besides these two. The mines are divided into four stories, and their greatest depth is 1200 feet. A perfect labyrinth of galleries or tunnels is in each of the different stories, many of which are connected by bridges and ceilings are supported by heavy timbers, or pillars of salt sock, left standing while the excavation was going on. A large number of the galleries are used for stables for horses, and for the store-rooms, and many of the vast chambers are ornamented with statuary and chandeliers cut from the salt rock, and the effect of the illuminations on festal occasions, is very grand and imposing. The dimensions of these mines are very considerable, and are equal to the distance from Cracow to Vienna and back. These important mines came into possession of Austria in the year 1772 and the clear revenue from it amounts to six millions of florins a year. Should the efforts, now being made to arrest the catastrophe, be unsuccessful, and there is little hope of success, the loss to the Austrian government, as well as to the people who derive their support from the works, will be immense. The cause of the calamity is as follows: A boundary line was marked out around the mines in the year 1814, beyond which no excavation was to be made; for even at that time, it was with great difficulty that the veins of water beyond the line could be controlled, and great apprehension fo danger was felt. But lately a less cautious practice has been pursued, and many attempts, by boring through clayey walls on the Northern limits, of the mines, were made, for the purpose of making new discoveries, when suddenly a stream of water welled up from the bottom, which was at first neglected, but the water gaining very fast, the steam engines were set to work to pump it out.

These soon became unmanageable, by being choked with sand and clay; and as a last retort, attempts were made to confine the water by constructing dams, and walling up the tunnels or galleries, for which purpose great quantities of materials had been collected, but so far all has been in vain. The water continues rising with great force, and the galleries are already filled with water several inches high, in consequence of which the salt is rapidly disolving. The inhabitants of the surrounding country are in the greatest dismay at the terrible prospect before them and all trade has stopped.

The Passomaquoddy Indians predict an open winter. They base their prediction on the scarcity of ash berries. Last year the trees were laden with the berry, and the Indians prophesied a severe winter, which prophesy was fulfilled to the letter.

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YPSILANTI,.....JAN'Y 23, 1869.

SHALL WE GET A RAIL ROAD?

We shall if proper effort is made. If we become leavened with a small portion of the enthusiasm manifested by our neighbor Saline the road is a fixed fact. A road South of us will ensure its continuation North and thus give us communication with the lumber, salt and plaster portion of the State. A rich market will be opened up for our produce in exchange. Also another outlet will be opened for our produce South. We know not how true it is, but it is alledged that our merchants pay more freight on their goods than the merchants of Jackson. Jackson produce dealers give higher prices than our dealers· Thus we are under bid in two directions. Two competing lines would mend this state of facts. At the late meeting some of our delegates spoke as if our city had no interest in the matter. Unselfishly we were willing to assist other parts of the State. This very feeling that we have all the Rail Road communication that we need is killing us off. The live men of Jackson, Grand Rapids and Kalamazoo do not feel so. They had selfish interests at stake precisely as we have, if we did but know it, and they worked like men, to attain their objects. So are the citizens of Adrian and Hillsdale. We alone are comparatively supine. These *live* places will double in population and we shall retrograde. Property now cheaper than any other place in the State of its size will go down lower and lower. Men of Ypsilanti, we are not indifferent, unselfish in this matter. We are *vitally* interested, our pockets are interested, our honor and pride are interested. Now we have Saline and Tecumseh to lift with us. Turn the cold shoulder and they will find other communications. They will tap the Adrian and Detroit Road and then laugh at us for our folly, and scorn our help when offered *too late.*

HOW SHALL WE SECURE THE PROPOSED RAILROAD?

Some say by subscriptions to stock. We wish it might be done so. But it will not. Of that we may rest assured. We have not the capitalist in Ypsilanti who will subscribe the required stock. There are only a few that could do so to any amount.

The only feasible, the only true and just way is to raise the amount by tax ation. We could not subscribe to the stock. But if taxed on our real estate, a small amount annually, we could do it and not mind it much. The advance on our real estate would enable us to realize fifty times over the small amount of tax. In this way, while the benefit is secured to every owner of real estate, such owner shares his just proportion of the burden. We believe that if our Council would authorize an election to vote upon a proposition to raise a tax of $100.000, it would carry by a large majority.

1*st.* A Road commends itself to the good judgment of all our citizens.—Only 21 miles to Tecumseh, and we have the aid of Saline and Tecumseh to help build it.

If we neglect this day of our opportunity, alienate our best friends, allow the Adrian and Detroit Air-Line to cut off all our southern trade, and literally drain the life out of us, we shall lament our folly and mourn over departed hopes in vain. Little good will it do us, to grumble over tenantless houses, depreciated real estate, &c. Monroe, Wayne and Holley on the east, Monroe, Ann Arbor and Holly on the west, Detroit and Adrian Air-Line on the South—and we poor, miserable ingrates in our sulks lamenting our hard fate, and *too late* accusing ourselves of utter madness and folly.

Now is the day of grace. Detroit will lend us a helping hand. Hillsdale is with us; and Tecumseh and Saline exceed us in their enthusiasm for a Road and material aid. The Michigan Central will iron and stock the Road. Ypsilanti, in view of all the circumstances of the case, is more interested and has more at stake than any other locality, alone hesitates and dissusses, and falters, and there is great fear that all will end in smoke, and that we shall helplessly sink back into the arms of indifference and do-nothingness—all for the want of pluck, a few bold spirits to push the matter along. And this when a large majority of our citizens favor action. We have conversed with a large number, and find an almost universal expression in favor of the proposed Road. It is a felt necessity on the part of our citizens.

2*d.* Our men of wealth and business see the importance, or foresee the consequences of not having the Road.—They will lend their influence and votes.

3*d.* Men of moderate means, simply owners of homes, perceive the stimulus that will accrue to our place, and the increased value of these homes.

It will give mechanics work.

4*th.* Non-owners of real estate will vote for the Road. Our day laborers—for they need and must have employment, and this Road will give them the needed work.

What we want fellow-citizens, is *action*, ACTION, ACTION! — a rousing meeting, instructing the Council to authorize an election to vote upon some feasible tax proposition!

STEAM BOILER INSURANCE.

Believing safety to be the better part of valor, true wisdom, we have secured an insurance on our boiler and property, in the Company named below. Wm. P. Beach, General Agent, Detroit. The inspection four times a year by a competant person is worth the premium paid. The following we take from "Autens & Bourne's Shipping & Commercial List," a paper published in New York city, which we heartily commend to all who need any information, of the nature indicated by its title.

In directing attention to the advertisement of the Hartford Steam Boiler Inspection and Insurance Company, to be found in our columns, it gives us pleasure to endorse the object and operation of this novel though useful enterprise. It supplies a want long felt in this country, where the use of steam as a moter and heating agent enters so largely into the manufacturing and domestic economy. Hitherto steam users have been compelled to take their own risks; but the Hartford Company now presents itself to lift the responsibility of boiler explosions from the shoulders of owners, and by a system of thorough inspection, internal and external, of the boilers, materially reduce the liability of explosions; for though this is neither the time or place to discuss their cause, we are borne out, we think, by the record, in asserting that the major part of such occurrences are the result of insufficient attention to the condition of the boiler, the correctness of its gauges, &c., and a lack of intelligent management of so destructive an element as steam. The supervision of the Company's inspectors supplies these needs, and we advise steam users to look through the mist of prejudice and self-reliance at the merits of this protective association and seriously consider whether it were not well for them to commit to it the care of their boilers, and thereby save yearly many lives and much valuable property.

FROM WASHINGTON.

It seems as if finance would not come to a head this session. The legislation is of a general character. Peace and harmony all along the lines. A curious chapter during the late war is coming to light. It seems that prior to the taking of Vicksburg, Gen. Banks was ordered to supercede Gen: Grant. He faithfully demonstrated that to abandon his post at Port Hudson would be to give up the key of the Mississippi. He was again ordered to supercede Grant and the second time delayed to do so, remonstrating and was censured for disobedience. After the fall of Vicksburgh, the correspondence was spirited away, until a month ago this thing was unknown to Gen. Grant.

UNITED STATES SENATORS.

Senator Chandler was elected for his third term last Tuesday, — every Republican voting for him. Senator Sumner was elected by an almost unanimous vote for his fourth term.—Genl. Carl Schurz is elected from Missouri, Mat. Carpenter, Wis. Senator Tipton is re-elected from Nebraska, Gov. Fenton is elected in place of Senator Morgan in New-York. John S. Scott is elected in Pennsylvania, Bayard in Delaware, Stockton, New-Jersey. In Indiana Lieut.-Governor, Cumback, was nominated but several Republicans having bolted, his election is uncertain. The Republicans gain Senators in Pennsylvania and Indiana, and secure stronger men

THE STATE LEGISLATURE.

We have not our anticipated letter from Lansing this week. The current of legislation never ran smoother. Little talk and good deal of work. Several amendments have been proposed of chief importance. The suffrage and salary questions. The Rail Road question is deservedly receiving serious attention.

POLITICAL.

A Republican State Convention will be held at Lansing on Wednesday, the 10th day of February to nominate a Justice of the Supreme Court in place of Judge Cooley, and two regents of the University in place of J. E. Eastman and Prof. Sill. We second the Kalamazoo *Telegraph* in the nomination of Prof. Sill, and move the reelection of Judge Cooley.

The National Life Insurance Company of the United States of America.

An insurance company, authorized to transact business in any part of the Union, was chartered by special act of Congress, in July last, and has begun active work in this and other States. The new Company has some especially noticeable features and facts to commend it to popular attention. One of these is its paid-up capital of one million dollars, which provides amply for all liabilities that may arise. The list of managers of the Company includes C. H. Clark, as President, Jay Cooke, Chairman of Finance Committee, and others whose names are too Ligh in national renown as upright and successful business men, to risk their reputation in any doubtful enterprise. But aside from these prominent facts, are several novel methods of Insurance, first introduced by this Company, which have shown themselves to be very popular. Under the "Income-Producing' plan, a young man may provide for a yearly income after a term of years, which may support him or his family in comfort, however he may have failed in his business anticipations. Another plan provides that by the payment of a slighly increased yearly premium, the Company will repay to the heirs of the insured all the money which has been paid in premiums, in addition to the ammount for which he was insured, thus giving the insurance for no more than the interest upon the premiums. By this plan if a person insures for $10,000, and has paid $2,500 in premiums, his heirs will obtain $12,500 at his death. Another special feature of the National Life is that it insures females at the same as males. By its charter, its policies are all non-forfeitable, and are also exempt from attachment, although they may be negotiated like other property. These and other specialities of the new Company will be explained at lenght by the Company's agents who are advertised elsewhere in this paper. We see every reason to anticipate an immense business for the new Company, starting under such extremely favorable auspices.

Communicated.

For the Commercial.

"In the strongest terms do our Bishops rebuke the attempt, on the part of the Ritualists, to substitute the vain pomp and senseless ceremonies of a *corrupt church*, for the pure and undefiled religion of Christ."

Mr. Editor:—I find these lines in a communication signed by an "Episcopalian," in the Commercial of last week. I wish the "Episcopalian" would be so kind as to let us know *what church* it is that he designates as a *corrupt church;* and state, at the same time, *when* and *in what* that church has become corrupt. I have often heard of the same charge being made against one church, in particular, with which I am tolerably well acquainted; but I was never yet so fortunate or *unfortunate*, as to hear, *on good authority*, *when* and in *what* said church became corrupt. May I not hope that the long-desired information will, at last, be obtained from the Ypsilanti "Episcopalian?" I fear he will consider me rather impertinent, still I cannot forbear asking yet our friend "Episcopalian" what he considers to be the *pure and undefiled* religion of Christ. Perhaps "Episcopalian" has some solid proofs, by which to convince us that the *pure and undefiled* religion consists in that conglomeration of inconsistencies, generally prepounded in that *human* institution, which is commonly called a *church* and which drew its *pure and undefiled* existence, from that *pure and undefiled* little friendship existing between Henry VIII and the fascinating Ann Bouleyn.

Respectfully yours,

E. V.

We can say of the Commercial that it is a first rate paper and deserves an extensives circulation.—*Baptist Tidings.*

State Publishers' Association.

The second annual meeting of the Publishers' Association will be held in the city of Lansing on Thursday, January 28th.

Rev. Dr. J. A. B. Stone, editor of the Kalamazoo *Telegraph*, will deliver the annual address.

Every publisher in Michigan is requested to be present. It is hoped that each journal and periodical in the State will be represented. Matters will be acted upon of vital importance to the interests of journalism, and it is desired that there be a full attendance. By order of the Executive Committee.

James O'Donnell, Sec'y.

Personal Gossip.

In the House there are 36 farmers, 5 physicians, 17 lawyers, 14 merchants, 8 lumber dealers, 2 bankers, 3 millers, 2 printers, 2 mechanics, 1 founder, 1 mine agent, 1 builder, and 5 gentlemen who classify themselves as "miscellaneous." The oldest member is James Kingsley, of Ann Arbor, aged 69, and the youngest is Claude N. Riopelle, of Detroit, aged 24.

Fifty-four of the members were born in New-York, eight in Vermont, nine in Michigan, four in Ohio, three each in Massachusetts and Pennsylvania, two each in New Hampshire and Connecticut, one each in New Jersey and Virginia, three in England, four in Germany, and one each in Ireland, Scotland, Canada and France. The average age of the House is 43 1-8 yrs.

In the Senate Lieut. Gov. Bates is the oldest, being 62 years of age, and Senators E. T. Slocbm and Delos Phillips are the youngest, being 29 years of age. The places of nativity of the Senators are as follows: New York 12; Vermont 6; Pennsylvania 2; and Scotland, Connecticut, Canada, Indiana, Ohio, New Hampshire, Maine, Massachusetts, and Michigan, one each.

The occupantions are as follows: Lawyers, nine; farmers, six; merchants, five; miscellaneous, five; and manufacturer, horticulturist, physician, clergyman, editor, lumberman and banker one each.—*Detroit Tribune.*

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To-Day's Advertisements.

Schenck's Pulmonic Syrup,

Seaweed Tonic and Mandrake Pills will cure Consumption, Liver Complaint and Dyspepsia, if taken according to the directions. They are all three to be taken at the same time. They cleanse the stomach, relax the liver, and put it to work; then the appetite becomes good; the food digests and makes good blood; the patient begins to grow in flesh; the diseased matter ripens in the lungs, and the patient outgrows the disease and gets well. This is the only way to cure Consumption.

To these three medicines Dr. J. H. Schenck, of Philadelphia, owes his unrivalled success in the treatment of Pulmonary Consumption. The Pulmonic Syrup ripens the morbid matter in the lungs, nature throws it off by an easy expectoration, for when the phlegm or matter is ripe a slight cough will throw it off, and the patient has rest and the lungs begin to heal.

To do this, the Seaweed Tonic and Mandrake Pills must be freely used to cleanse the stomach and liver, so that the Pulmonic Syrup and the food will make good blood.

Schenck's Mandrake Pills act upon the liver, removing all obstructions, relax the ducts of the gall bladder, the bile starts freely and the liver is soon relieved; the stools will show what the Pills can do; nothing has ever been invented except calomel (a deadly poison which is very dangerous to use unless with great care) that will unlock the gall bladder and start the secretions of the liver like Schenck's Mandrake Pills.

Liver Complaint is one of the most prominent causes of Consumption.

Schenck's Seaweed Tonic is a gentle stimulant and alterative, and the alkali in the Seaweed, which this preparation is made of, assists the stomach to throw out the gastric juice to dissolve the food with the Pulmonic Syrup, and it is made into good blood without fermentation or souring in the stomach.

The great reason why physicians do not cure Consumption is, they try to do too much; they give medicine to stop the coughs, to stop chills, to stop night sweats, hectic fever, and by so doing they derange the whole digestive powers, locking up the secretions, and eventually the patient sinks and dies.

Dr. Schench, in his treatment, does not try to stop a cough, night sweats, chills and fever. Remove the cause, and they will all stop of their own accord. No one can be cured of Consumption, Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Catarrh, Canker, Ulcerated Throat, unless the liver and stomach are made healthy.

If a person has Consumption, of course the lungs, in some way are diseased, either tubercles, abscesses, bronchial irritation, pleura adhesion, or the lungs are a mass of inflammation and fast dedaying. In such cases, what must be done? It is not only the lungs that are wasting, but it is the whole body. The stomach and liver have lost their power to make blood out of food. Now, the only chance is to take Dr. Schenck's three medicines, which will bring up a tone to the stomach, the patient will begin to want food, it will digest easily and make good blood; then the patient begins to gain in flesh, and, as soon as the body begins to grow, the lungs commence to heal up, and the patient gets fleshy and well. This is the only way to cure Consumption.

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Price for the Pulmonic Syrup and Seaweed Tonic, each $1 50 per bottle, or $7 50 a half dozen. Mandrake Pills, 25 cents per box. For sale by all druggists. 256y1

Notice to Tax-Payers.

I will be at Calvin C. Wheeler's, in the town of Salem, January 26th, 1869, to receive returns of Income of all those wishing to meet me there, for that purpose; and at Saline on 2d and 3d days of February, 1869.

The law requires all returns of Income to be made by the First day of March, 1869.

Those not making return by that time will have to pay the penalties the law requires.

At my office, south side Congress Street, Ypsilanti, Mich. ENOCH YOST,
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Mortgage Sale.

JOSEPH HANER, Isabella Haner, his wife, and Barney P. Haner, by a mortgage dated the eighteenth day of September, in the year eighteen hundred sixty-two, duly mortgaged to Hiram P. Thompson, a parcel of land described in said mortgage as "All the West half of the North-east quarter of Section Thirty-two, in Township Four South of Range Seven East, in the State of Michigan." The said Mortgage, with the power of sale therein contained, was recorded on the Twentieth day of September, A. D. 1862, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, in Liber 29 of Mortgages, on page 653, in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Washtenaw, in said State. The amount claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date of this notice is Four hundred and Fifty dollars with interest thereon from the eighteenth day of September, A. D. 1866, at ten per cent. per annum, and default has been made in the payment thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of said mortgaged premises, at public vendue, at the south door of the Court House, in the City of Ann Arbor, in said county, on the twelfth day of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated January 15, 1869.

HIRAM P. THOMPSON, Mortgagee.
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The goods sold by us are described in printed slips or checks, which are sent to any address at the rate of ten cents each, in clubs of ten, twenty, thirty, forty, sixty, one hundred, one hundred and fifty, two hundred &c. For a dollar the receiver can buy the article described in the check, or exchange it for any one of two or three hundred articles in our circular. As a guarantee of the worth of every article sold by us, any article on our checks can be exchanged for a White Bed Quilt or a Silver-plated Revolving Table Castor, with five bottles. Read what the great paper of the Northwest, the Toledo *Blade*, (Nasby's paper,) says of us:

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☞Now is the time to get signers and send in clubs.—Ladies specially wanted as agents.

Partial List of articles allowed as commission to any one sending in clubs:

CLUB OF THIRTY. ($3.) 21 yards bleached or unbleached Cotton Cloth, photograph album, 100 pictures, elegant morocco binding. Revolving oval band. Silver plated table castor, 5 bottles; ladies' dress pattern, a lady's richly ornamented black walnut writing desk, fancy cassimere pants pattern, large white all linen table cover, white lancaster counterpane, 20 yards calico, alhambra bed quilt, ladies' morocco shopping bag, good cottage clock.

CLUB OF SIXTY. ($6.) 42 yds. Bleached or unbleached Cotton, fashionable dress pattern, 3 1-2 yards wool cassimere for pants and vest pattern, fashionable woolen shawl, white marseilles counterpane, lady's large genuine morocco shopping bag, lady's fashionable cloak pattern, pair good white woolen blankets, black alpaca dress pattern, 4 yards double width water proof cloaking, 6 yards farmers' good Wool frocking, rose wood brass alarm clock, lady's fur muff, set misses furs muff and collar.

CLUB OF ONE HUNDRED. $10. 65 yards good bleached or unbleached cotton cloth one yard wide, lady's or gent's new silver hunting case watch, fashionable thibet dress pattern, elegant black alpaca dress pattern, one pair of good white woolen blankets, large size; lady's fashionable double woolen shawl, two large fine bleached linen table covers, with one dozen large sized dinner napkins to match; 25 yards hemp carpeting, 7 1-2 yards fine cassimere for suit, one doxen ivory handled steel bladed knives and forks, one dozen rogers' best silver plated forks on white metal, portable sewing and embroidering machine, 7 1-2 yards double width water proof cloaking, set of furs, muff and collar.

It is impossible to give a complete list of goods, but agents desiring articles not named above, will please mention them, and we will accommodate them if possible. If you have a club ready, or intend to raise one for any other house, *don't fail to send it to us, and at the same time ask for our New Circular and Mammoth Exchange List.* Parties acting as agents for other dollar houses in this city, will please send us their address, and that of a dozen or so of their male and female friends as we can make it for their advantage to do so. Male and female agents wanted as usual.

Send money in registered Letters in every instance, and we guarantee that it will come perfectly safe.

N. B.—Our sale should not be classed with dollar jewelry sales and gift enterprises.—Send to us for decision respecting our business by the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, dated Washington, Nov. 4, 1868. If you want prompt returns for your money, send your clubs to

EASTMAN & KENDALL,
P. O. Box E. 65 Hanover St., Boston, Mass.

Don't Read the Above.

TO PHYSICIANS,

New-York, August 15th, 1867.

Allow me to call your attention to my Preparation of COMPOUND EXTRACT BUCHU. The component parts are BUCHU, Long Leaf, CUBEBS, JUNIPER BERRIES.

Mode of Preparation.—Buchu in vacuo, Juniper Berries, by distillation, to form a fine gin. Cubebs extracted by displacement by liquor obtained from Juniper Berries, containing very little sugar, a small proportion of spirit, and more palatable than any now in use. The active properties are by this mode extracted.

Buchu, as prepared by Druggists generally is of a dark color. It is a plant that emits its fragrance; the action of a flame destroys this [its active principle] leaving a dark and glutinous decoction. Mine is the color of ingredients. The Buchu in my preparation predominates: the smallest quantity of the other ingredients are added to prevent fermentation; upon inspection, it will be found not to be a Tincture, as made in Pharmacopœa, nor is it a Syrup—and therefore can be used in cases where fever or inflammation exists. In this you have the knowledge of the ingredients and the mode of preparation.

Hoping that you will favor it with a trial, and that upon inspection it will meet with your approbation.

With a feeling of confidence,
I am very respectfully,
H. T. HEMBOLD,

Chemist and Druggist, of 16 years experience in Philadelphia, and now located at his Drug and Chemical Warehouse, 594 Broadway, New-York.

[From the largest Manufacturing Chemists in the World.]

"I am acquainted with Mr. H. T. Hembold; he occupied the Drug Store opposite my residence, and was successful in conducting the business where others had not been equally so before him. I have been favorably impressed with his character and enterprise.

WILLIAM WEIGHTMAN.

Firm of Powers & Weightman, Manufacturing Chemists, Ninth and Brown Sts., Philadelphia.

Hembold's Fluid Extract Buchu, for weakness arising from indiscretion. The exhausted powers of Nature which are accompanied by so many alarming symptoms, among which will be found, Indisposition to Exertion, Loss of Memory, Wakefulness, Horror of Disease, or Forebodings of Evil, in fact Universal Lassitude, Prostration, and inability to enter into the enjoyments of society.

The Constitution, once affected with Organic Weakness, requires the aid of Medicine to strengthen and invigorate the system, which HELMCOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU invariably does. If no treatment is submitted to, Consumption or Insanity ensues.

Helmbold's Fluid Extract Buchu, in affections peculiar to Females, is unequaled by any other preparation, as in Chlorosis, or Retention, Painfulness, or Suppression of Customary Evacuations, Ulcerated or Schirrus state of the Uterus, and all complaints incident to the sex, whether arising from habits of dissipation, imprudence in, or the decline or change of life.

Helmbold's Fluid Extract Buchu and Improved Rose Wash will radically exterminate from the system diseases arising from habits of dissipation, at little expense, little or no change in diet, no inconvenience or exposure; completely superseding those unpleasant and dangerous remedies, Copaiva and Mercury, in all these diseases.

Use Helmbold's Fluid Extract Buchu in all diseases of these organs, whether existing in male or female, from whatever cause originating, and no matter of how long standing. It is pleasant in taste and odor, "immediate" in action, and more strengthening than any of the preparations of Bark or Iron.

Those suffering from broken down or delicate constitutions, procure the remedy at once.

The reader must be aware that however slightly may be the attack of the above diseases, it is certain to affect the bodily health and mental powers.

All the above diseases require the aid of a Diuretic. HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU is the great Diuretic.

Sold by druggists and Dealers everywhere. Price $1.25 per bottle, or 6 bottles for $6.50, delivered to any address. Describe symtoms in all communications.

Address H. T. HELMBOLD, Drug and Chemical Warehouse, 594 Broadway, N. Y.

None are genuine unless done up in steel engraved wrapper, with fac-simile of my Chemical Warehouse, and signed

Dec&Jan, H. T. HELMBOLD.

Local Matters.

Moving of the Waters.

At an informal meeting held at Cutcheon & Allen's office, Thursday afternoon last, P. Davis, Mayor, was called to the chair, and the following resolution was adopted:

Ressolved, That Ypsilanti will do her full share toward the Railroad, and demands full representation on the Board.

Cornelius Cornwell and John Gilbert were appointed as Directors, and it was resolved that a public meeting be held on Saturday night to pledge amounts, &c.

The above meeting was quite large, and a good degree of enthusiasm manifested.—We trust that there will be a large attendance and definite action taken. Onr editorials were in type before the above meetings were thought of.

Magazines.

The monthlies for February are on our table.

First on the list stands the Galaxy. The article on Queen Victoria, and her Subjects, is valuable. Coffee and its adulteration in New York should be read and pondered by every lover of good coffee. The likeness of Charlotte Cushman, or "One Woman's Work," is worthy the perusal of every woman. Charles Reade's new story commences in the next number.

Mayne Reed's magazinge is a love of a publication, in artistic beauty and taste. "Onward" is the motto. The February number is capital. "The lost sister" is entrancing. It is one of our most entertaining magazines.

Packard's Monthly is as rich and racy as ever.

The Western Monthly is a new claimant to public favor, and bids fair to equal, if not surpass, many of its rivals.

Dr. Lighthill.

Comes to us with the very highest recommendations. Rev. Dr. Nott, and other eminent men speak in flattering terms of his skill as a physician. Dr. Nott says in addressing a citizen of Detroit, "I see by the newspapers that Dr. Lighthill, is now in your city. It is years, I think, since I was his patient. At this distance of time, with restored hearing and improved health, I feel myself under great obligations to Dr. C. B. Lighthill. Any of the certificates given to Dr. C. B. Lighthill by me (and he is the only physician to whom I ever gave a certificate) he is welcome to publish, and that the public may rely upon their correctness, and that they were voluntarily given by me. I have addressed you, that through you I may benefit the man to whose skill as a physician, I have been, and am still, so greatly indebted.

With high respect, yours,

John Nott.

A Dead Man Come to Life.

A circumstance of thrilling interest is on the tapis just now—one of those strange incidents connected with war times. A son of a widow in our city, was reported killed during the late war. After the close of the war, his death was announced circumstantially by his companions in arms. They assisted burying him. One of our citizens on a visit south, says that he saw him and that he is alive and well. It is surprising however, that he should fail to communicate with his friends here. It is asserted that his mother is drawing a pension on account of her deceased son.

Velocipede in Ypsilanti.

Our friend, D. P. Harrrington, has been making one of these renowned velocipedes. Mounting his wooden horse, he makes fine progress for a new beginner around our streets. They are a curiosity. Two wheels like a cart and a fore wheel of same size, propelled by smaller wheels, etc. He says that he can with a little practice revolve himself to Detroit in two hours. Go it wooden horses. The invention is his own, propelled by the hands rather than the feet. He claims that his is a decided improvement on the Eastern patent.

A Distinguished Visitor.

Our readers will be pleased to learn that Dr. C. B. Lighthill, late of New York City, now of 275 Brush St. Detroit, Mich., will be at the Follett House on *Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday*, January 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th and 30th, for the purpose of giving personal audience to those desirous of consulting him on Deafness, Blindness, Impaired Sight, Catarrh, Noises in the Head, Discharge from the Ear, Asthma, Bronchitis, Effections of the Voice, Offensive Breath, and all diseases of the *Eye, Ear, Throat and Lungs*. The afflicted should not fail to consult him.

Exhibition.

A very pleasing little entertainment of this kind was given at Fowler's School House, on Saturday evening last. The actors were all members of the school, and for so young performers, did well. A piece of music—"Don't you go, Tommy," was sung very tastefully, every word of the song being intelligible. As a rule now-a-days public musical performers seem to think the wider they open their mouths, and the louder their instrument groans and shrieks the more acceptable the music. Not one voice in fifty has volume enough for the modern swell now in use, and the words of most songs are rendered about as intelligibly as though they were written in Greek or Latin W.

Almanacs.

We have on our table the Michigan Almanic, published by the Detroit *Advertiser & Tribune* Company. It is a valuable almanac for this latitude, embracing every variety of information pertaining to our State. For sale at Coleman's.

Also the *Tribune* Almanac, complete political register. It maintains its time-honored reputation.

Allen C. Crittenden.

Crime has become *exceedingly* bold. When Church sheds are entered and teams spirited away it is time a watchman was put in a safe place to observe and nab the rascals. Friend Crittenden will leave no stone unturned to search out and punish the scamp or scamps that stole off with his team standing in his Church stall on the 10th.

S. C. Browning.

The little stove that every one who enters our office pleases so much we bought of Mr. Browning, 177 Woodward Avenue, Detroit. He has more of the same sort. He is also manufacturer of the Clipper hay, straw and stalk cutter.

Dr. B. C. Lighthill

The celebrated *Oculist and Aurist* of Detroit, Mich., whose singularly successful practice has for a long time attracted the attention of the whole country, is to be at the Follett House on *Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday* of next week, January 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th and 30th. The afflicted should make a note of this.

A. Kelsey.

Our readers will see in another column the advertisement of Mr. Kelsey. We believe Mr. Kelsey is bound to do what he promises. His market will be complete and he can't fail of a liberal patronage.

It Should be Remembered

That Dr. B. C. Lighthill, *The Eye, Ear, Catarrh, and Lung Physician*, will be at the Follett House, from Tuesday morning next January 26th, until Saturday Evening, January 30th.

Theft.

Friday night week, a stranger came to the Follett House, went to the room assigned him and shortly discovered the loss of his watch and valuable jewelry. Some parties were arrested and sent to the lock-up by Justice Morton. We are happy to announce that the stolen articles have been recovered.

Dr. C. B. Lighthill.

The Eye and Ear Physician at the Follett House from Tuesday next; January 26th, until Saturday Evening, January 30th.

—The grand Concert and Character Parlor Entertainments, given by the Wheeler Family, are well worthy of attendance. This company of artistes possesses decided merit, and is among the best traveling. Mrs. J. Wheeler is a fascinating singer, and a host within herself, and will always please an audience. Mr. J. Wheeler is a fine tenor, guitarist and balladist; while Mr. Ben. Wheeler is a comedian, baritone vocalist and burlesque artiste of the "first water." And, Little Ben, child of beauty, is a gem sparkling all over with music and wit — he is, indeed, a *prodigy* —a perfect *little* master vocalist and character delineator. He always brings down the house. This company gave concerts in this city on Wednesday and Thursday evenings. G.

Notice.

Dr. C. B. Lighthill, the celebrated *eye, ear, catarrh* and *lung* physician will be at the Follett House from Tuesday morning next, Jannary 26th, until Saturday January 30th. Remember dates.

Ann Arbor Business College

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This very prosperous Institution is this year thronged as usual by students from all parts of the country.

Hundreds of young men of thorough culture and successful business experience occupying most important and lucrative positions in the business world, bear testimony to the high reputation of this College as a first class Business Institute.

Actual Business is combined with theory, frequent reviews and ezaminations are held and every student who receives a Diploma is thorough master of the course, and qaulified to take charge of any set of books in any branch of business.

These facts in connection with the high character of Ann Arbor as an education point are conclusive arguments in favor of this College.

Every young man who desires to acquire a thorough practical business education should take a course in this Institution. For further particulars send for Circulars, Specimen of Business and Ornamental Penmanship and College Currency, Enclose three stamps and address the President.

A. C. Parsons, A. M. S. S. B.
Ann Arbor, Mich.

A busy man is a locomotive, and life a track. Every night he drives into "the house," and stops. Every morning he is fired up anew, and away he goes switching off in one direction and then in another. In this routine of business he forgets that the physical organization is one of the most delicate kind. If a hard iron locomotive needs constant eare, and to be well oiled up and rubbed off every day, how much more necessary is it that all men and women should use Plantation Bitters, which are the *ne plus ultra* of everything which is necessary to keep the system in a perfect tone of health.

Magnolia Water.—Superior to the best imported German Cologne, and sold at half the price.

☞ A profuse and many times excessivly offensive discharge from the nose, with "stoping up" of the nose at times, impairment of the sense of smell and taste, watering or weak eyes, impaired hearing, irregular appetite, occasional nausea, pressure and pain over the eyes, and at times in the back of the head, occasional chilly sensations, cold feet, and a feeling of lassitude and debility are symptoms which are common to catarrh, yet all of them are not present in every case. Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy cures catarrh in its worst forms and stages. It is pleasant to use, and contains no poisonous or caustic drugs. Sent by mail on receipt of 60 cents. Address R. V. Pierce, M. D., Buffallo, N. Y.

For sale by most Druggists everywhere.

The New Board of Health.—If we were constituted the Board of Health, to guard against cholera the comming season, our first advice would be to have the blood in good condition. The only way this can be done effectually is by using J. W. Poland's Humor Doctor, the sure cure for all diseases of the blood. Put up in large bottles, and for sale by Tripp & Frost.

NOTICE.

The regular annual meeting of the Stockholders of "The Ypsilanti Farmers and Mechanics Trade Association," for the election of officers and directors and the transaction of such other business as may regularly come before such meeting, will be held on Saturday the 23d day of January A. D. 1869, at 1 o'clock P. M., at the office of the Association.

J. W. Childs, President.
Edwin F. Uhl, Sec'y.
Jan. 11, 1869.

The American Cooking Stove Again in Court!

United States Court, Northern District of N. Y., Albany, Oct. 17, '68.

Jacob H. Shear and Joseph Packard, vs *Zebulen Hunt and William J. Miller.*

The Hon. Samuel Nelson, Judge.

This suit was brought for infringing the patents on a Shaking or Vibrating Ash Sifter, and the combination of a Sifting and Ash Pan in the Hearth of a Cooking Stove, an injunction was granted restraining their use.—Messrs. Hunt & Miller have now arranged for a license, and will hereafter manufacture and sell under a license from us. All other persons are cautioned against manufacturing, selling or using Stoves with these improvements, as all infringements will be promptly prosecuted. Shear, Packard & Co.,

254m3 Albany, N. Y.

DR. S. I. TOBIAS'

Pulmonic Life Syrup,

FOR THE CURE OF

INCIPIENT CONSTMPTION, COUGHS, Colds, Croup, Asthma, Liver Complaints Dyspepsia, and General Debility. For several years I have been urged by kind friends, who have used and been benefited by my Life Syrup, to put it up for general sale; but few know the large expense, now that the country is flooded with Patent Medicines, which attend the same. For years past I was reluctant to do so, as the capital required would be large, and I did not wish to curtail the operations of my Venetian Liniment business. But thanks to the generous public, who have appreciated my Venetian Liniment I am now able to do so, without any detriment to my large business in that medicine. The foundation of my success I attribute to attending to the manufacture of every drop myself, and shall do the same in regard to my Pulmonic Life Syrup. The ingredients are perfectly harmless, but act on the Lungs and Liver with astonishing effect. Price 75 cents, Depot, No. 56 Courtlandt Street, New York. near Jersey City Ferry. Sold by the Druggists and Store keepers. 254 4-w

The American Cooking Stove.

Another Patent Suit.—We understand Messrs. Shear, Packard & Co. have been compelled to commence a suit against Hunt & Miller, of Hudson, for infringing the patent on the Ash Sifter in the American Cooking Stove. This is the fifth suit they have been compelled to bring against different parties for infringing the different patents on this Stove. The four previous suits have esulted favorably for S., P. & Co., and they are determined to follow up all cases of infringement until others cease from appropriating their improvements.—*Albany Evening Journal, July 29th*, 1868.

All persons are cautioned agianst selling or using Stoves with a Shaking Ash Sifter in the hearth, or under the grate, as this improvement is fully secured to us by five different Patents, and all persons selling or using Stoves with this improvement, will be liable to prosecution for infringement, as we have granted no licenses to other parties to make or sell this improvement, and all infringements will be promptly prosecuted.

SHEAR, PACKARD & CO.,
Albany, N. Y.

The American is for sale by Bickford & Camp, Ypsilanti, Mich. 252-6m

Quality and quantity are the two desirable attendants of "Barrett's Vegetable Hair Restorative." The bottles are neither corked thimbles, nor the preparation itself a worthless compound of deleterious minerals, as has been proved by the Award Committee of the N. Y. State Agricultural Society.—*Dover Enquirer.*

Binding.

Parties having binding, will please leave it at our office previous to the first of every month.

Coe's Cough Balsam, the great popular remedy for coughs, colds, croup whooping cough and consumption. In connection with the ordinary 4 oz. size, Coe's Cough Balsam is now put up in mamoth family bottles, given by any others for $1. For sale by sll druggists and dealers in medines. No family should be over night without it in the house.

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MY WIFE'S choice, and the whole family prefer it Mrs. S. A. Allen's Improved (*new style,*) Hair Restorer or Dressing, (*in one bottle.*) Every Druggist sells it. Price One Dollar. 254-2w

Married.

Thursday evening, the 21st inst., at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. G. P. Tindall, Mr. Ralph Rice of Ypsilanti, and Miss Harriet, daughter of Mr. Joseph Crane of Pittsfield. No cards.

—Cake received, for which the Printers return thanks.

On the 20th inst., at the Presbyterian Church, by Rev. G. P. Tindall, Mr. O. W. Cody of Ypsilanti, and Miss Minnie B. Tompkins of Philadelphia, Pa.

—Long life to Orson and his pretty bride.

Also, at the same time and place, by the same, Mr. F. E. Cook of Mason, Mich., and Miss Alice Cody, of this city.

The Markets.

Ypsilanti Market.

Flour, superior,	$9.00	Dressed Hogs,	.200
Wheat,	1.00	and over,	12.50
Corn, in ear,	.45	Hay, per ton,	$12@15.00
Corn, shelled,	.70	Hops,	.04
Oats,	.45	Onions,	1.30
Beans,	2.25	Potatoes,	.55
Butter,	.30	Wood, hard,	4.50
Eggs,	.25	Dried Apples,	.12
Cheese,	.17	Clover Seed,	8.50

Detroit Market.

Flour, superior, $9.50, medium, 8.50; Wheat, 1.65; Corn, 68; Oats, 55; Barley, per cwt., 4.00; Rye, 1,10; Beans, 2,50; Butter, 31c; Clover Seed, 9.50; Cheese, 21c; Dressed Hogs, 12,50; Eggs, 31; Hay, $18; Hops, 4c; Onions, 1.25; Potatoes, 55c.

Chicago Market.

Flour, superior, $8.00; Spring do. $6; Wheat, spring, 1.13¾; Corn, 54c; Oats, 48c; Rye, 1.16; Barley, 1.70; Hogs, 12.50.

A Dictionary of the Bible: Comprising its Antiquities, Biography, Geography, and Natural History, with numerous Illustrations and Maps. Edited by Wm. Smith, LL. D. Published by the National Publishing Company, Cincinnati, Ohio.

No book has been issued from the American Press, for a long time, that deserves so universal a circulation as this. Bible Dictionaries have been prepared in former years; some were meagre and imperfect, and all have been outgrown. Calmet's was surpassed by Kitto's; Kitto's and indeed *all others* have been far outrivaled by this of Dr. Smith, of the London University, and *the most eminent* Lexicographer of the English speaking world.

Having finished this great work, Dr. Smith then prepared a condensed edition (the work being in three massive octavo volumes, was too large and costly for the public generally,) which should include *all* that is best adapted to the needs of Christian families and Sabbath School Teachers. This is the Work now republished in this country, whose title we have given, and we do not hesitate to say that *it should go into every dwelling* where there is any desire to read and study the Bible intelligently and with profit. Every person connected with a Sabbath School, either as teacher or pupil, and every parent should by all means, avail themselves of this *incomparable* help.

This edition is in the highest style of the art, largely illustrated with elegant wood and steel engravings, and maps, printed in clear and beautifnl type, and in every respect in harmony with the high character and value of the work. No house surpasses this enterprising publishing firm in the artistic finish and elegance of their books. And in the issue of this, they have sparsd no pains nor expense. It has several special and essential merits beyond the English edition, and especially over any other reprint in this country. It contains all the matter of the largest edition, except numerous disquisitions and critical notes no original Hebrew and Greek terms, which are of no practical value to the general English student, and considerably more than *twice* the reading matter of the smaller book. With all its elegance and embellishments it is the *cheapest* edition.

It is having a large and rapid sale, as nothing but straitened means can induce any *wise* parent or *faithful* teacher to decline the offer of an auxiliary for the understanding of the Scriptures.

George L. Foote, Agent for Washtenaw County. 254w3

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Having slippers to bottom, should go to Aber's.

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49 Brick house on Washington st.
52 5½ acres of land south west part city.
56 Brick residence on west side of Huron st.
57 New house on Huron st.
63 House and lot on corner Pearl and Adams st.
66 House and lot with fruit, on west side River st.
68 Fine brick residence on Adams st.
70 House and 1 acre of land on River st.
71 A new 2 story house and lot on Huron st.
73 House and lot on Huron st.
76 Four acres of land and house just out of city limits.
78 House and lot on Hamilton st.
82 House and lot on Washington st.
86 Two vacant lots near Normal School.
88 Vacant lot on Adams st.
91 House and lot on west side Adams st.
96 House and lot on west side River st.
97 House and lot on Adams st., house new.
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103 House and lot in Jarvis' addition.
104 House and lot corner Ellis and Ballard sts.
105 Two houses and lots on Emmit st.
107 House and lot on River st., east side.
108 House and lot on Summit st., new house and barn.
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111 House and lot Oak st.
112 House and lot on River st.
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A Great Evil.

OUR race groans under evils, and carries burdens heavy to be borne; some of these may be traced back to the first sin and are beyond our control, but most of them are of our own producing, and may be arrested by a resolute act of the will, or by aids which come from other sources.

Two evils now fill the land, and world which are of human invention, and are sustained by human authority. One of these is alcoholic drinks, and the other is the use of tobacco—of the latter we wish to say a few words.

This has grown and overspread the nations of the earth till now it challenges observation, reflection, and the exercise of enlightened conscience while looking the naked facts in the face. Such is its present extent, that five and a half millions of acres are occupied in its growth, producing two millions of tons annually and costing the human race ten thousand millions of dollars, by far more than enough to pay the whole debt, in one year, of the United States and Great Britain, startling as the fact may seem. In our own country alone, one hundred and fifty millions are expended annually in its consumption, by far more than is appropriated to support the gospel of Christ and the cause of education. How appalling such a state of things, while want and suffering are all around us! Multitudes are without the Bible, millions have never heard the name of Christ, and the most important enterprises for promoting the welfare of mankind, falter and fail for the want of support.

Yet this enormous expenditure is entirely useless. No one claims that he is the better for the use of tobacco in any form. It is a mere habit, innocently formed, and while at first a pleasure has grown to be a master and tyrant.

Not only this, but it is an offensive, filthy habit, finding no place in the church, in the parlor, the ladies' saloon, or elsewhere, as a high order of society meets and indulges in exercises which the higher nature craves.

Multitudes, using it, are ashamed of the fruits of it, and would be glad to be rid of it, if they knew how to break away from the enchantment. But this is not all, or even the worst of it. It is injurious to health; when taken to excess operates as of a poisonous nature, weakening the system, and leading to premature death.

Such evils, together with its enormous expenditures, ought to make sober, reflecting conscientious men consider whether it can be right to continue such a habit as this—ought it not to be overcome at all hazards, and save the funds thus uselessly spent to provide for personal and family wants and build up the cause of truth and righteousness in the world?—*Exchange.*

QUARRELING.—If anything in the world will make a man feel badly, except pinching his fingers in the crack of a door, it is unquestionably a quarrel. No man ever fails to think less of himself after it than before. It degrades him in the eyes of others, and what is worse, blunts his sensibilities on the one hand, and increases the power of passionate irritability on the other. The truth is, the more peaceably and quietly we get on, the better for our neighbors. In nine cases out of ten, the better course is, if a man cheats you, cease to deal with him; if he is abusive, quit his company; and if he slanders you, take care to live so that nobody will believe him. No matter who he is, or how he misuses you, the wisest way is to let him alone; for there is nothing better than this cool, calm and quiet way of dealing with the wrongs we meet with.

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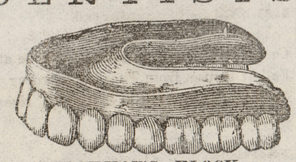

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Wayne,	8:15	.....	6:20	....	5:05
YPSILANTI,	8:50	12:23	6:50	11:40	5:40
Ann Arbor.	9:15	1:00	7;20	12;00	6:05
Dexter,	9:45	1;20	7:45	——	6:35
Chelsea,	10:05	——	8;05	——	——
		P.M.		A.M.	
Jackson,	11:10	2:20	9:05	1;30	——
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	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M	A.M
CHICAGO, I've,	5:00	8:00	4:30	9;00	——
	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.
Jackson.,	2:20	3:45	12:45	5;10	——
Chelsea,	3:20	——	——	6;03	——
Dexter,	3;40	4:38	——	6:20	6:40
Ann Arbor,	4;10	5:00	2:07	6:45	7:15
YPSILANTI,	4:35	5:20	2:30	7:15	7;40
Wayne,	5;05	——	——	7:40	8:15
DETROIT, ARR.	5:55	6:30	3;45	8:30	9:05

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